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		Title	ADVANCED ANASTOMOSIS SYSTEM		
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1002	340	2002	170 Design filing fee	
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1004	770	2004	385 Reissue filing fee	
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<b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b>				<b>385.00</b>

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1201	86	2201	43 Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203	145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	86	2204	43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent
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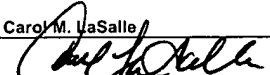
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1812	2,520	1812	2,520 For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examination action	
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1810	770	2810	385 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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